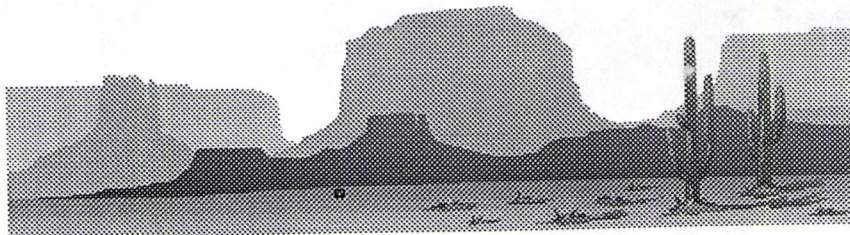


A Memo From
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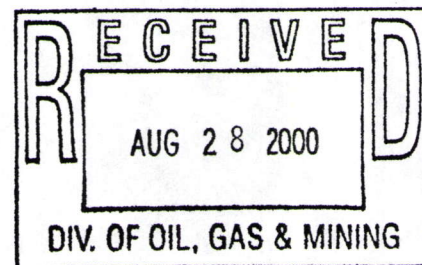
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Date: 08-25-2000

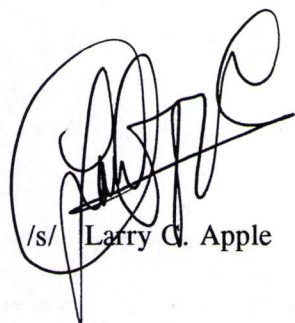
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Payment of the following land lease fees is enclosed:

RB # 1 & # 2 - #S230062	\$ 100.00
Solar Wind # 2 - #S230081	100.00
Maynard Topaz - #S230047	100.00
Total Enclosed	\$ 300.00


/s/ Larry C. Apple

*Called 8/30/00 - left message that the
fee payment is for DO&M permit -
not for the leases. Please do not
confuse these payments with anything
due with SITKA.*